

ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND.

ACCOUNT of RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND, for the Year ended 31st March 1893; together with the REPORT of the COMPTROLLER and AUDITOR GENERAL thereon.

(PRESENTED PURSUANT TO ACT 44 & 45 VICT. c. 32, & 2.)

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ABSTRACT ACCOUNT of the RECEIPTS and EXPENDITURE of the ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND, during the period from 1st April 1892 to 31st March 1893, prepared in pursuance of the Royal University of Ireland Act, 1881 (44 & 45 Vict. c. 52, s. 2).

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* In addition to the above balance, the following securities and moneys stood to the credit of the Royal University of Ireland on 31st March 1938, viz.:

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| 1. <i>General Account:</i>
£ 10,000 Bank of Ireland Stock.
£ 5,000 Dublin Corporation Stock. | 3. <i>Special Fund for Laboratories:</i>
(Including £,500 L on Deposit)
£ 4,787 7 11. |
| 2. <i>Pension Fund:</i>
£ 15,000, 10. 4. Consols. | 4. <i>Slowed Trust Fund:</i>
£ 355 13 4. |

22 August 1900.

I certify this to be a full, true, and correct Account.

J. C. Meredith,
Secretary

I certify that this Account has been examined under my directions, and is correct.

Environ.
A. C. Foss.

C. L. Ryan,
Comptroller General of Her Majesty's Exchequer,
and Auditor General of Public Accounts.

REPORT.

REPORT of the COMPTROLLER and AUDITOR GENERAL upon the Account of the ROYAL UNIVERSITY OF IRELAND, for the Year ended 31st March 1893; prepared and submitted for the Information of the House of Commons, in pursuance of the Royal University of Ireland Act, 1861 (44 & 45 Vict. c. 52, s. 2).

1. It is provided by Chapter VIII. of the Statutes of the University, that the cost of Administration during any one year shall not exceed 5,500 *l*. The total Expenditure for that Service during the year ended 31st March 1893 has been 5,071*l*. 1*s*. 1*d*., as against 5,142*l*. 10*s*. 8*d*. in the previous year.

2. The general Expenditure for Examinations has amounted to 12,815*l*. 5*s*. 3*d*., as against 12,100*l*. 11*s*. 5*d*. in the previous year; and that for Rewards to 3,689*l*. 1*s*. 3*d*., as against 4,323*l*. 19*s*. 8*d*. in the previous year.

3. The sum of 4,952*l*. 3*s*. has, during the year, been invested in the purchase of 1,600*l*. Bank of Ireland Stock, and the total Stock now held by the Royal University, in respect of the General Account, amounts to 10,000 *l*. Bank of Ireland Stock, and 5,000 *l*. Corporation of Dublin Stock. Certificates that these amounts of Stock are held, have been furnished by the Bank of Ireland and the Registrars of the Corporation Stock, respectively.

4. As shown by the Account, the Board of Inland Revenue have refunded the sum of 500*l*. in respect of the annual Endowment, 24*l*. 4*s*. 5*d*. in respect of dividends relating to the General Account, and 11*l*. 1*s*. 10*d*. in respect of dividends relating to the Pension Fund; those sums having been deducted during the year ended 31st March 1892 on account of Income Tax.

5. A further investment of 372*l*. 6*s*. 1*d*. has been made during the year in the purchase of 378*l*. 13*s*. 2*d*., 2½ per Cent. Consols, in respect of the Pension Fund; and the total Stock held on account of that Fund now amounts to 13,506*l*. 10*s*. 4*d*. Consols. A certificate that this amount of Stock is held, has been furnished by the Bank of Ireland.

SEPARATE FUNDS.

6. Of the Special Fund lodged to a separate account for the Equipment of Laboratories, &c., the balance remaining on 1st April 1892 was 5,236*l*. 6*s*. 7*d*. A sum of 113*l*. 10*s*. interest on deposit, has been received, and a sum of 624*l*. 8*s*. 8*d*. has been expended during the year ended 31st March 1893; and a Bank certificate for the balance, 4,724*l*. 7*s*. 11*d*., has been furnished.

In regard to the expenditure out of this special fund, which does not appear in the General Account, vouchers and particulars have, as usual, been transmitted by the Accounting Officer.

7. With respect to the Stewart Trust Fund, the balance in hand on 1st April 1892 amounted to 294*l*. 9*s*. 4*d*. A sum of 1*l*. 4*s*., interest on deposit, has been received during the year. The payments during the year amounted to 40 *l*., leaving a balance in hand of 255*l*. 13*s*. 4*d*., for which a certificate has been given by the Bank. Vouchers for the expenditure have been furnished.

C. L. Ryves,
Comptroller General of the Receipt and Issue
of Her Majesty's Exchequer, and
Auditor General of Public Accounts.

Exchequer and Audit Department,
25 August 1893.